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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8336

INFO AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

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USMISSION NATO BRUSSELS

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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y ( ADD TAGS INFORMATION)

E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: PFOR, UR

SUBJECT: CSCE: IZVESTIYA COMMENT ON MPT

HELSINKI FOR USDEL MPT

VIENNA FOR USDEL MBFR

1. IZVESTIYA APRIL 25 CARRIED LONG COMMENTARY ON OPENING OF " CONCLUDING PHASE" OF MPT, TOUCHING ON ALL FOUR BASKETS. TONE IS OPTIMISTIC DESPITE EXCURSION INTO ALLEGED ASPIRATIONS OF SOME NATO CIRCLES TO STRETCH OUT MPT AND FORCE SOVIET UNION TO MAKE " MAJOR CONCESSIONS."

2. EXPLANATIONS OF SOVIET POSITIONS ARE STANDARD. BREZHNEV LINE ON BASKET THREE IS PLAYED BACK, WITHOUT ATTRIBUTION, FOR TWO PARAGRAPHS WORTH. ARTICLE CITES WITH APPROVAL SPEAKERS AT END OF MPT- III WHO FAVORED CONCLUSION OF MPT BY END OF MAY. DUBS

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